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## RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

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FILING DATE June 11, 2001	CONFIRMATION NO. 3980	CUSTOMER NO. 26116	EXAMINER Tariq R. Hafiz
INVENTOR(S): PATRICK G. RYAN AND DAVID P. JACOBS			
TITLE OF INVENTION: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING A MARKET BY PROJECTING DEMAND AND IDENTIFYING SUPPLY			

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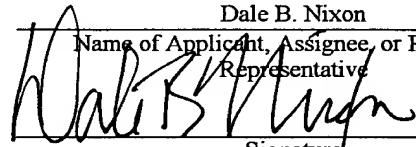
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PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- (A) A response to the Office Action dated:
- (B) A Petition for Extension of Time
  - for 1 month  for 2 months  for 3 months;
 A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,  
 for 1 month  for 2 months  for 3 months
- (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- (E) Other: . \$
- (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
  - Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established

The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	33	MINUS	20	13
INDEP.	6	MINUS	3	3
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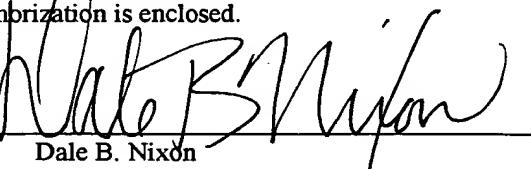
SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE	RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$	x \$18	\$234.00
x \$43		x \$86	258.00
+ \$145		+ \$290	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$492.00

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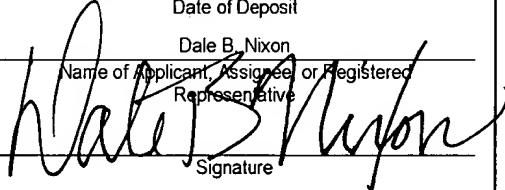


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend this Application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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